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IN THE MATTER OF ORDINANCE NO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

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JUHL, MACHINE CONSTRUCTOR,

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Pelition,

by the above cited Ordinance have been duly filed

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kong, and that it is the intention of the said

GOTTFRIED EICKHOFF and PETER

ERNST THEODOR JUHL by MATTHEW

JOHN DERMAN STEPHENS their duly

Sitting of the Executive Council hereinafter

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hereby also given that a Sitting of the Execu-

tive Council before whom the matter of the

said Petition will come for decision will be held.

in the Council Chamber at the Government

Dated the 14th day of May, 1898.
MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS.

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BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES

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20.-Substances used as food or as ingredi-

22,-Mineral and nevated waters (including

23.—Candles, common soap, detergents, illu-

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## The Daily Liness.

Hospicone, May 14th, 1894. May by the Kanakera More for Singapore.

The Austrian aloyd's steamer Marquis Bosquehow left Singspore for this part yesterday

. Entries for the Second Cymkhana Meeting; to be held on the inet, of so today at 2 p.m. All information respecting only forms, etc., will be found on the back of the prospectus.

Sir William Robinson, G.C. 1.25 to Gover-nor of Hougkong, and form suddianternor of Trinidad, has joined the Houb con the New Trinidad Laise Asphalt Company (idenited), as

The death is announced of Lieut.-Cel. fisher Wilmst Brooke. In 1860 has accompanied Brigadier General Staveley on his expedition t China, where he was Beigade-Major at the taking of Tientsin and the storning of the Laka forts

Telegrams from London announce a sharp rise in tea lead, one of the many results the present formerse demand for war material Trado papera progressicate ad increase of the cost of the raw lend due to the large orders placed on the market for ammunition by flor lish and Continuatal firms, and now the war between America and Sprin will limit the out put of mines in the latter country.—Times of

The oil tank steamer Productive which toward the Victorious of whom she was agreend, particular of which were published at the time, arrived at Colombo on the 25th April, from Bateum, on her way to Japan. Capt. Hockin, who was it charge of the steamer when assistance was rea dered to the Victorious, remained back at home to argue with the Admiralty as regards the salvage expenses to be paid. We under Stand the among will be a large one .- Times of

Wash Mr. J. A. Swetlenham, who he' at home on ion: .. was returning to ! says the Landon and China Express booked his passage by the M. 21. st. amer Polyactica for the Straits, but, in view of the very serious outlook of affairs between France and England, decided to cancel his passago and roturn by a British steamer. The possibility of an outbreak of war disturbed the consciences of more than one Briton holding return tickets by a foreign steamship line.

The But wie Nieuwobled considers that the war between the United States and Spain by checking the trade in Cal in and Philippine augaia will raise prices to the benefit of Java planters. The war, else, by increasing the demand for quinine is expected to raise the price But on the other hand, freights will also rise. A '.ce do of the Philippines will, besides, theck no trade in copro, a loading export stal, there. This will turn to the profit of coconar planters in Netherlands India.

The Sarmonk Guzette of the 2nd May has the following " haze story " from Mr. Ernest Hose. The otherday, at Tambak, Mr. Hose, India to Welliniwei at the end of the year. hearing the cries of wild pig proceeding from the jumple adjoining his house, went with his dogs. He shortly came upon a large nython surrounded by about twenty pige, goring it with their tusks: a young pig had been soized by the python and its cries of distress had Rico and invade Cuba without delay. summoned the other members of the herd to its assistance: their arrival applied them to effect a rescue, for the python was so lacerated that it rollinguished its hold on its prey, which was so little injured that it decomped with the rest of the herd on perceiving the presence of human spectators.

At almost every sitting at the Magistracy more is fined for being in possession of prepared opinin without a certificate or for having united scales or measures in his possession. Yesterday for the former offene soveral times were imposed, including one of 8th, and o for the latter offence a number was fined \$10.

A fisherman named Chan Lum received scould rather rough treatment at the lands of but Mo of no occupation, and two or three other men on Thursday. He was on the Praya when they three him into the harhour, defendant baving previously snatched his gridle purse, which contained 230, from him. When he got out he give defendant into ensiody. Defendant was sent to prison for three months.

The Stroits Times of the 6th May says :- A men spondent calls attention to the terturing of billing women, for religious purposes, in the street of Singapore. Yestorday, a number of Klim women marched from the temple in Sirring on Road to the temple in Tank Road with homes thrust through their tongues, lips, and thooks, the tongues being thrust out. Mon Incremparated them to throw water in their faces Ope woman was so exhausted that a bucket of writer bad to be thrown over her before she would proceed. Surely, the police have only to bestir themselves to exclude such barbarities from the public streets.

"John Brown and Thomas Moison ereated . ..... thing of a sensation at Yaumati or Thursday atternion. Inspector Robertson feld Comnamed Hastings at the Magistracy yesterday that first defendant had two or three stones in his hands. He threw two at some Chinese, who wan into shops out of his way, and deliberately sold throughout show another one at a street-lamp, breaking two panes. The man was drunk, as was also and are invariably pre- second defendant, whom, however, he did not see throw any stones. When arrested first defendon't was very disorderly and the officer had to put the irons on him. First defendant, who Title Party and he was very sorry, was fined 57, and orderedto pay \$150 damage. Second defendant was

. The 25th Company Eastern Division Looyal Artiflery have received orders to hold them kong and Whampon Dock shares have been in selves in readiness to emburk for Hongkong, request in small lots at 253 to 254 per cent. leaving Showburyness on or about April 16. prem., but, holders refuse to part and no ANTITURED The company is to be made up to its full war business has resulted. Kowleen Wharves have strong! h of 150 of all ranks and five officers, somewhat improved their position and have begin by the lond. The min are all picked and above twenty years | changed hands at \$554, closing steady to of age. and they have had to pass a severe strong. Wanchais unchanged and withoutthere is no reput to those medical examination. A further droft of Royal business. Artiflery are under orders to leave Postsmonth by the same ship for service at Singapore, and kong Lands continue on offer at 3723 and hel oventually: Weihniwei. The artiflery now at a point lower would probably be accepted Hongkong are to be moved to Weihaiwei, and Kawloon Lands unchanged and without busiit is understood that a further detackment of ness. Humphreys Estates still continue on

> The Municipality of Saigon estimate their expenditure, this year, at \$1,074,926. The population supposed to draw benefit from this outmy nardly exceeds 33,000 inhabitants. The about 8978,000, this year. The population of . Is Singapore town may be reckoned at about 200,000. The comparison brings out how disproportionate. orgo is to a municipal expendiure of Saigon. But, the municipal revenue at Saigon largely consists of Government subsidies and grants-in-a.d. In other words, the with the Colonial Treasa to draw upon Had Saigon would not have distanced it in the maty berewith and I hope will not occur again." tor of electric lighting. . . . in Singapore, we'l

omickl. -Straits Timesi

" TIM'S Hermione, Captain G. A. Callaghan, but a three hours' trial of her muchinery in the Reported during past 24 hours 31 Che and off Plymouth on 13th April, and artained a speed of 17.75 knots. The following day she had a further trial at full power. On 5th April she was inspected by Admiral Sir E. R. Fremantle previous to the vessel loaving for the Chira Station. The Hermione is a sterl ship, dicirried and coppered, and her dight draught pendiarly tits her for service in the mans, were brought before Mr. Wolf OA seas and rivers of China. Her speed it sighteen Singapore on the 5th May and change ? knots under natural draught, increasing to having on the 27th April used as genu twenty knots under forced draught. Her coal tain forged documents, namely, twenty six storago capacity is large, enabling her to travel | notes, purporting-to be of the value 7,000 miles without recoiling. She carries two dollars each, and lifty notes purporting to 6-inch and eight 4.7-inch quickfiring guns, the value of twenty-five dollars each, all cay the besides muchine-guns, and is fitted with four | Hongkong and Shanghai Bank; also with hartorpedo-tubes. The Hermione will relieve the ling in their possession a certain instrument for

From Suva we (Fifi Calonist) hear that it is i concurred that His Excellency Sir Geo. T. M. O Bolou is seriously considering the advisability | document were translated. of an early retirement from the Gevernorship of this rolony, It is further stated that the name of the Hon. James Stewart Acting Colonial Secretary, is mentioned as having been successor as Lieutenant-Governor at £1,500 ofonial revenue. The first man Fiji had as a pority, is now said to be desirous of returning to the privacy of that retirement whence he truth in this sensational rumour; for it will prove not only to the Home Authorities but to the world at large, that any existent anticipaerious contemplation of any practical, highminded, and conscientions Governor.

For a resital, whether vocal or instrumental, n which there is only one performer to be a may pass muster and indeed may be thoroughly rell of fifty dollar notes to the bank. One Ma- mother in-law. appreciated at an ordinary concert may if conneed any length of time begin to pall either from the desire of the audience for a change or from the actist showing evidence of the strain to take to the bank. While they were to which he is being subjected. It therefore ays much for Mr. Sydney H. Morse, whose more as an enterrainer is known throughout the East, that at the vocal recital which he gave in St. Angrew's Hall, City Hall, yesterdayafternoon to the bank. Witness told defendant that the his auditors displayed no weariness, the applause with which his diforts were received being hearty | This was returned, and they went to the bank. from start to finish. The programme had been The police were sent for, and the prisoners most earefully drawn up. The items were:-Where e'er you walk" (Handel), "A temple Garland (Lord Henry Somersot), The Baggar Maid," (Bamby) "A Vision Lehman), and "Come into the Garden aland," (Bulle). Mr. Morse has not only an excellent voice, but he has it well under control. with the result that whether singing a com- | said that Keena Moerah Hussain came to him, Vigarous" Come into the Garden Mand" he be returned in company with If. Grass, and was equally successful. It was a play he was handed witness two rolls of notes to count not favoured by a larger audience. Mr. Twinning | They were all quite new. Witness suggested acted as secondanist to his talented papil. At | that it would be well to send the notes to the the request et a number of gentlemen who bank for examination. The fifty-deliar notes waited upon him at the conclusion of the were sont, and witness afterwards followed with programme, We Morse will appear at a concert | the roll of twenty-five dollar notes. Witness next commoncing at 9.15, when he will be to the manager. He then learned that the

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London, 11th May, 1898.

THE BIOTS IN ITALY. of einchoica back, one of the products of Java. Thele. All the railways are under Military control and a rigid consorality prevents direct the country is passing through the most grave crisis since its unity was attained ....

GARRISON FOR WEIHAIWEL

THE SPANISH AMERICAN WAR. which changes the situation and leaves the United States a free hand to attack Puert

> THE FRENCH ELECTIONS. Republicans, ...... 211

Mr. J. Y. V. Yornon in his weekly shore report, dated 13th May, says .---The market continues inactive but rates are steady and in some cases show an improvement

on those of last wook. BANKS .- Some small parcels of Hongkong and Shanghais have found buyars at 187 and 188 per cont. prem, the market closing firmer with buyers at 189. Nationals and Bank of China's unchanged and without business. MARINE INSURANCES. - China have changed hands at \$625 and \$63. Cantons, Straits, and the Northern Insurances continue on offer without business.

SHIPPING .- Hongkong, Canton, and Masso Steamboats have raled quiet with small sales at \$262, closing with sellers at that rate. Analyst, said be received cortain notes produced Index are neglected at \$624 with little or no from Inspector Bourne. He examined them

6 dwf. Jalebus have been in strong de that had contained corre mand and a fair number liare changed hands last contained nt rates from \$1.75 to 83, market closing Tudion isk whi steady at latter rate. Rudbs after further the Chinese lett transactions at \$29; and \$30 are a little quister at \$291, but shares could be placed at equivalent

rates forward. LOCKS, WHARVES, AND GODOWNS .- Hong.

LANDS, HOTELS, AND BUILDINGS .-- Hong the newly-acquired port.-London and China without sales. Hotels steady at \$53 with a small business.

MISCULLANEOUS,-Green Islands continue dull and out of favour at quotations. Watsons have changed hands at \$11.75 and \$12. Kows loun Ferry Co. at 391, 891, and 89, and previously at lower rates. Nothing further to report under this heading.

### THE PLACUE.

The Assistant Secretary of the Sanitary, Board writes :- "Owing to a change in our clerical staff. I regret to inform you that there las been a daily error in the number of deaths Minniorpality there can afford to be extravagant given in the plague returns for the past week. which I in signing unfortunately overlooked. the Singapore Municipal the same privilege. This mistake is now corrected in the return The return now stands as follows:-

Cases. Deaths. To Noon on 12th May Errors in returns of past seven

THE BANK NOTE FORGERY. Heinrich Grosse and George Schul ST

making an impression, namely, a numbering machine for the purpose of committing forgery. Mr. Cuseader said he was alraid he could not got through with the case natil some important The magistrate said every effort out to be ments, and a share

made to get the case ready for the Assizes. changer. On the 27th of April he went on submitted to the Home Authorities as his board the German stensier Preussen at Borneo Wharf. He met H. Grosse, but did not see G. were produced shewing that the defendants' had per samum, thus saving £1,000 a year to the Schultz. Grosse wanted to purchase two lived together at different hotels in Colombo. hundred and Mirty-eight sovereigns at ten Governor, Sir Charles-Mitchell, relired dis-dellars eight cents each and would pay for heartened after but a very short stay, and Sir them in Hongkong bank notes. Witness went Goo. O'Brien, who has only been with as to Klips Street and purchased two hundred long enough to revive hopes of renewed pros- and thenty-four sovereigns. On his way back and remived notes valued, at over six thousand togthe wharf he met H. Gresse; witness got | dollars. The total value of the notes found isto defendant's gharry and drove towards emerged to take the command of our colone. Singapore. In the gharry, the defendant put Sail indeed will be our lot and hopeless our his hand into his pocket and pulled out a roll of

> homed Yusof took the roll. Seeing that fusof did not return, witness gave the other roll to Mahomed Tamby away, witness gave the balance of thirty-six sovereigns to the defendant. Mahomed Yusof returned from the bank and said the notes were bad. Witness and defendants were called notes were bad and demanded back his gold

were removed in custody.

By the court-The conversation with the defendant was carried on in English Mahomed Yusof, an assistant to Mahomed

famby corrobyrated. Mahomed Tumby, a trader in Kling Street, Flora Macdonald's Lament" or the more twenty-four sovereigns. A half-an-hour later, 3 St. Andrew's Hall on Wednesday evening | took all the notes to the eashier who took them

Mr. L. Pike, cashier of the Hengkonz and pesetas

THE HONGKONG SHARE MARKET. | dollar (notes were put, in, which olared to be forgeries, mother rall of lifty and twenty-five dollar notes were put in and they were likewise declared forgeries. There, two rolls were found in the bay belonging to C Schultz. Other notes were shear to withour with the same result.

> remembered the 27th of April. On that dry, were accordingly taken to secure her acquies-They were forgeries. He was talking to the immirated with the French on the subject, money changer when Il Grosse was shown into but, of course, the whole statement, must

business. Douglases quiet but steady at 353. The paper was not the same as that used China Manilas remain on offer at quotations for the notes of the bank. The forged historical fact that England's "sphere of inwithout business and China Mutuals have notes were smaller. The quality of the paper fluence extends from Hongkong to the mouth was about the same as that generally used REFINERIES .- China Sugars -continue to for notes. There were other discrepancies rule very dull and more or less neglected for The Chinese lettering on the forgery was sone eash, but a few lots have been negotiated at cely visible, while the gentine not showed flis \$162 for May 30th, \$165 and \$163 for Juno, distinctly. The dollar figures were smaller than and \$169 for August deliveries. Luzons have they should be. The cross line in the figure 5 improved to \$42 and are disquired for at was straight in the genuine note, in the forgery that rate.

Mining.—Punjoms continue steady with notes also showed direction. A tindex consistency and \$1.60 taining writing was chemicals was handled to witness. preferences; buyers at a little under these rates | There were init seven bottle containing pureglycannot find sellers. Charbonnages continue cerine, tincture of continue des, lubricaling oil, Newchwang, and so forth, might be dammed at out of the market and out of favour at quo-petroleum benzine, and polish, a tin of polishing tation. Now Balmorals have fallen to 90 conts. paste, a tin of yollow enamed a ber of paints, and 70 cents for preference and ordinaries, and also m envelope containing two small packat which rates a fair number of shares have lages of Chinese rhubarb and biexalide of great that in stationing horself at Port Arthur. changed hands. Olivers unchanged and with potash; the latter was used for removing signa. Russia entertains designs hostile to the progress out business. A telegram from the mines three. There was also a valor proof bag with and development of the world's commerce. We states that a crushing of 675 tons has yielded. four bottles, one of gum, one of drops, another have no right to attribute to her any motive of millimate, and the

> Inspectors H ngkong and Shangha: April, he went Bank and say vitness be was the fim of . commission ogents, at Cologne, and that he had hengin the notes, some three thousand eight bundred dollars worth, at Port Said and Colombo. Hd was on his way to China to buy silk. The balance of the notes would be found on board the stenmer Proussen. If the notes were forgaries, he had been duped. He had diroulated a few among the passengers on board. Witness afterwards got a note of

on board. Witness afterwards get a note of twenty-ive and two of the dollars each from a money changer. They fendant was taken to the police office, and home sourched, a nambers was found on him, also seventeen to sof fifty dollars, three of twenty-five and eight of ton, amounting to one thousand and five dollars. He had also six gold coins and glish and German, a dollar, six rupees, the lings, three pence in silver, and a Japanese twenty cent piece. The mold was given to some passengers on board the gold was given to some passengers on board the steamer, who had specived forged notes from the defendant. There was also a letter addre wife the defendant's wife. Witness then rom the German Consul to Cabin No. 103 was pointed plied by H. Grosse. He learned Grosse that G. Schultz shared later from H him. He found a tiu box, and the cabin w hey were new. A large sum of silver, and Bank of England in it a large monay in box, and also some jewellery notes wis a found which H. Grosse raid Another b Schultz. This mandanied owner. did not know how the box came ship, and s oin. A bunch of keys was found of Schultz, but none of them.

Witness had a key which he 5m Gross and this fitted the look. vers packages of notes of twenty-five, diten dollars. Witness took possession Leonally arrested the two men. that the defondants had In the ho found a large ils of Schultz Forged roller. He brought

A similar machine They were inked mall box containenta were also dising lithograph ethematical instrucovered; also a Keona Meerah Hussain saje he was a money, box, Those were submitted to the German Consai, who selected those that seemed important, and had a bearing on the case. Some bills ness, continuing, said that on the following morning he received a telephone message from Bornes Wharf. He went on board the Prussen

amounted to two hundred and i wenty-one thous-

found on board the Preussen were forgetles. The prisoners were committed for trial.-Struits Times.

#### HOW SPAIN EXPLOITS THE PHILIPPINES.

In a memorial to the Spanish nation from lebelipinos resident in Madrid on the abuses and maindainistration of the country the following interesting information appears a

More than 86 millions of posetas is the amount consigned in the Philippine budgets for the commical year 1896-97, but from this large expenditure not a single posata is allowed position like the sweetly pathetic melody on the 27th April, and bought two hundred and for public works, highways, bridges or public buildings; and only 30,000 possins for scientific studies, necessary works, rivers and canals whilst the amount destined for religious worship and clergy amounts to nearly sover millions of pesetus: (in this is not included the amount squeszed by the clergy for burtisms, marriages, burials, sale of indulgences papal bulls, masses, feasts, scapularies, etc., etc., amounting to maiderably more than the Government allowance), 200,000 posetus are assisted by several lady and gentlemonamatours. notes were bad. He was asked how he came by proportioned for subscrition to Railway Comthem, and he explained who brought them, pany, new projects for railways, whilst the Keena Meerah Hussain and H. Grosse were College for Franciscan Monks (in Spain) and the transport of priests is awarded 275,000 House of Commons, said the Government had

Shanghai Bank, said he was on duty at the Thirty thousand pesets only to attend to the bank on the forences of the 27th of April.
Two notes of lifty and four of twenty-five instruction school of Manila Calbedral costs it was not intended to construct a railway to Editor of that paper, Mr. Lillie, gives the foldollars were handed to him. He suspected the the Government 20,000 nesetas, and the maingenuineness of the notes, examined then care- tenunce of the Cathedral 291,000 pesstes! Martial law reigns in the greater part of fully, and came to the conclusion that they were This quantity is only 9,525 pesetas below the forgeries. Mahamed-Yusef presented the notes vote for public justruction, technical schools, and when asked if he had any more, said he had, | naval scademy, schools of drawing, painting. and gave two rolls to him. He was told the sculpture and engraving, normal school for news from being received. It is evident that notes had been obtained from a European gen- Masters, practical professional studies of art tleman on board the German mail. He ad- and literature, Museums, Libraries and observised the witness not to lose sight of this gentle- vatory and the support of a special chair in the man. Defendant was sont for and came. University of Madrid. The Milippine trea-Defendant was taken to the Manager and surv further pays a heavy contribution to the Two British regiments will proceed from volunteered the statement that he had pur- general expenses of the State, the pension to chased the notes at Colombo, at the rate the Dake of Voragna (descendent of Columbus), that there had been any violation of the Treaty generate hotels. These places of entertain- has accused America of paralysing all efforts to of is. 8d. and is. 9d. a dollar, and, thinking he | the Marquis of Bedmar, and the Sultans and of Tientsin, which only admitted scheres of in | ment deserve a word if only in revenge for | maintain peace. He added that Spain may be would make a good profit, took a large quantity. dates of Sulu and Mindanao; the entire cost of terest, not influence. We should Iways main. all the agences they inflict on the unfortunate vanquished but she will never be dishonoured. The Spanish Squadron remains at Cadiz, Witness said, there were several ways by which the Spanish Consulates of Pokin, Tokio, Hong. tain equal commercial rights in China. The passenger whose voice is as of one crying Jacob Astor, the famous millionaire, has prethich changes the situation and leaves the he would know the notes were forgeries. (I) The kong, Singapore, Melbourne, Saiger, and Yoketaking of Weihaiwei, he said, was solely diploin the wilderness of the Singapore hotels. sented his handsome steam yacht to America,
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genuine ones. Inspector Bourne went with jubilations, and retiring allowances of the Civil would have been a defiance to Russia. The Speaking of the rikisha, and its elder brother the treaty of Paris. H. Grosse to the German mail, and returned and Military employees that have served in the occupation of Weihaiwel was no humiliation to the gharry Mr. Lillie says :with a large bex and a smaller tin one, which | Philippines, amounting to the grand total of Russia, and there was no reason for permanently were taken to the police station. Sixteen ten 5.890,600 pesetas yearly.—Singapore Free Press. strained relations.—Times of Coylon.

JAPAN AND FUHKIEN-RUSSIA AND PORT ARTHUR.

It is stated by a remacular journal since France's ambition with regard to the south of China is well known, the possibility of her mising some objection to the engagement Mr. W. Adams Oraha Manager at Singapore recently given by China to Japan about the of the Hongkong and Changhai Bank, said he | province of Fuhkien was foreseen, and steps Mr. Pike brought some notes to him: Two center haforehand. We gather that the Chirolls were put in and recognised by the wilness, nose Corpornment is supposed to have comhis office, and explained how he came to get ber taken with reserve. In our opinion continue on offer without business.

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FIRE INSURANCES.—Both Hongkougs and that the hank at Hongkoug, stating Finder bus nover suggested, however remotely, that the suggested at quotations.

Chinas continue neglected at quotations. Mr. G. H/B. Matthews Acting Government the not the remotest possibility that any of on her part to establish hereolf in n Kwangtung would be endorsed by Great

min. On the other hand, it is an underiable

of the Yangtsze and up the Yangtsze valley to

Chungking. Russia's proceedings in Man-

churin, and especially in Linotune, have com

pelled the British Government to acquire a naval etalion at the entrance of the Gulfof: Pechili in puramance of England's unvarying policy that all trade routes in the Far East shall ! scenred against olosure by any Power. With Russian war ships at Port Arthur the great stroam of commerce, nine tenths of it British, which flows to and from Tientsin, Peking, any moment nuless linglish war-ships were on the spot to prevent such a disastrous conjuncture. It is not for a moment our desire to sugalso a piece of Manchuris, but it is a comp baving for its imbe-used for harding mediate object the laying of railways and the extension of trade, an object which Great Britain, longt of all dvilized Powers, would be and are pleased to represent her in the light of a pusillanimous braggart who talks big until they powers we His Impaial Majesty the brue disciples of the Stratford-Atte Bowe School Ho was shewn two and are pleased to represent her in the light of said to be forgerica. the flash of a sword is seen and then cringes. Emperor of China, and M. Pauloff, Ressian. That is mere silliness. Englishmen can afford to laugh at it. No thoughtful observer has failed larly invested by His Imperial Majesty the to see that Russia's southward march towards Emperor of Russia, have this day -3rd of the the Yellow Sea and the Gulf of Pechili might 3rd month of the 24th year Knangshu-conone day place her in a position commanding a cluded the following convention with regard to great tradel avenue along which British commerce passes in large and always growing Art. I.—In order to provide for Bassia merce passes in large and always growing rolume. No thoughtful observer has ever sup- saitable basis on the northern coast of China, posed that her aim is pushing southward was to close that avenue. But there are times when a State is compelled, in the interests of its own safety, to utilize to the full every apportunity offering to its hand. Were Russia and England the Middle Vices in the Sovereign rights of the forms the forms the forms and the forms the forms of the forms the forms of the forms at war, the former would naturally employ what- the Middle Kingdom tall not be impaired by ever means presented themselves for inflicting | the transaction, line ton her enemy, and among such means a leased land, steps shalls consider be taken to very potent one would be to close the Shantung-Lisotung gateof the Gulf of Pechili. Eng. determine by survey to whitdistance the boundland, on her side, was bound to secure herself ary should be carried in a northerly direction against such a catastrophe. She could not, with from Talion in order to provide for the socurity my show of consistency or justice, offer armed of that place. But they exact limits and all opposition to Russia's commercial expansion in other details connected with the operation of Manchuria. All that she could do was to insist this Convention shall existermined after conthat her own interests and the interests of trade sultation between the Chinese Representative in in general should not be impaired, and as a mat. St. Petersburg and the Russian Government; tor of fact, she obtained whatever security was Provided that, within the limits thus deterpossible on that score. The Port-Arthur ques. mined, Russian shall enjoy the right and prition complicated the situation not a little. Had vileges of a lessee. Rassia confined herself to purely comto embark on such a scheme as Russia's Man | between the contracting parties. churian project of milway building and com- A. IV - The district, territorial and marimercial enterprise without making at the same, time, described in Art. I, shall serve as a depot time some provision of armed protection? We of military and maval supplies to Russia, and do not think so. It seems to us that if Eng. the principal officials administering its affairs Soudan, has suspended operations until the end

that if the Russian Government refrained from by a Chinese subject, he shall be handed over The contents of policy of abstentics. In other words, Lord relating to the administration of justice shall, be determined in accordance with the Russo-form with those mands British tradal routis, and we will be similar machine content not to place our ships in menacing.

Art. V.—Beyond the northern boundary of the leaved land an emission that content not to place our ships in menacing the leaved land an emission of place and be determined in accordance with the Russo-form with those mands British tradal routis, and we will be something to the leaved land an emission of justice shall.

Art. V.—Beyond the northern boundary of the leaved land an emission of place and land an emission of place and the leaved land an emission of place and the leaves land to the leaves and land an emission of place and the leaves land to the leaves and the leaves land to the leaves and the leaves are the leaves and the leaves and the leaves are the leaves and the leaves and the leaves and the leaves are the leaves are the leaves and the leaves are the leaves and the leaves are sin's present intention, would become very real with the Russian authorities. and very serious in time of war. The Hispano Art. VI.—The contracting parties agree to American contest is only a few days old, and yet regard Port Arthur as a naval station. It we already see what losses a country can suffer shall be used by Russian and Chinese ships if it is not in a position to effectively police the only, and neither the men-of-war nor the merroutes of its maritimo carrying trade. With chantmen of any other Power shall have access Russia at Port Arthur, and England no nearer to it. Similarly, in the case of Talien Bay, done in the Gulf of Pechili before a war-ships of China and Russia, but the rest depredations: 11 would have been veritable vertige had England fought to Mr. Albin Elper, Secretary to the Gorman keep Russia out of Port Arthur, but with Port Arthur and Talien, Bussia undertakes to prespects, if there should be any foundation of. fifty dollar notes of the Hongkong and Shanghai Consulte, said one of the documents put in Ryssia at Port Arthur, Wei-hai-wei became a construct, at her own expense, whatever bar-Bank. There were twenty sig notes in the roll. was a letter from Mr. Ludor Abrile H. Glosse wine qui non to England. On the other hand, racks and forts may be required, and to adopt to the command of H.M.S. Crescent during He also handed over tifty notes of twenty-five in London, stating that some notes of ten her occupation of Woi-hai-wei does not bear whatever other means are necessary, for the dollars each. The whole value was two thou- dollars value were sent for inspection and the interpretation that she has extended her defence of those places. tions of raising Figs commercial status are and five hundred and twenty dollars. Wit- approval. There were four Hongkong lank- sphere of influence to the Gulf of Art. VIII.—It shall be permitted to conrotten in the extreme and utterly beyond the ness gave two hundred sovereigns and took the notes, three Australian bank notes, and two Pechili. She still remains within her former struct a railway, from a point in the part of notes. The balance was not paid. Witness Netherlands bank notes. The letter was dated limits, the Yangtsze Valley and the coastwise Trans-Asian trunk road for the building of looked at the notes and found that the Chinese from Bremerhaven in November, 1897. The pouts from the month of that great river to which China gave her consent in 1896, to characters for the name of the bank were smaller writer said he had no large notes. Another Hongkong. The Formosan channel is part of Talien, all the details of construction to be in than is the rule. He became suspicious and paper purported to be an agreement between the route-a most important part of it. When accordance with the Chinese system of Mantold the defendant that witness would pay the Mrs. Gritters and G. Schultz and counter- England offered na protest to Japan's acquisi- churian lines. Moreover, a branch of the line balance of thirty-six sovereigns, if defendant fel- signed by 11. Grosse that Schufft should work then of Formers, she gave to this country a so constructed may be carried from some place the cose of is absolutely accessory for the artist lawed him to Mahomed Tamby's shop in Kling as a lithographer and do his best in the in- signal evidence of good will and confidence, midway between Yingteso (Newchwang) and to possess executional qualifications. What Street. They went there, and witness seat the terests of his employer; Mrs. Critters was his for it is evident that a fleet having the Pes. the Yalu River to a convenient point on the

courerned, too. She has apparently raised no railways works. objection. She remains true to the policy frequently enunciated by her in connexion with operative from the day of its conclusion, and Trendy Revision; nam-ly, the policy of regard. the ratifications shall be erchanged in St. ing with thoroughly friendly oges the growth Petersburg. of Jupauere influence in the Far East cheek to export of arms and munitions to the quite plain, namely, that a portion of entained. Japan would hold both sides of the Fornorm (Mannel. In one sense it is satisfactory to find that England's acquiescence is taken for would not remain inactive were any other

### BRITISH POLICY IN CHINA

Power in question. Japan Meil.

London, 29th April Mr. Bulfour, replying to questions in the spontaneously informed Germany that the compation of Weihaiwei was not directed. the interior, which, he believed was im- lowing account of his views about Singapore.

to-night on the China question.

JELEBU MINING AND TRADING CO., LIMITED. PAYOURABLE PROSPECTS The Joseph Mining and Trading Co., Limited

communicate to the Singapore papers as fol-In the report dated 21st April speaking of the Rin lode, Jelebu, the directors said. "The general indications of the lode continues invourhble," and a strong hope was then expressed the prospects of successful lode mining. that the intention of these cross cuts was partie taken in the noble sports. to get information to put before the phase. In the evening, the horsey people continuables, at the general meeting to be field as in the evening, the horsey people continuables,

through. Payable. (No. 2 .- 5th . May.) Lode 2 feet thick not through. (No. 3 .- 5th May.) Lode 3 feet thick, payable, not yet through,

(No. 4 .- 6th May.)

Lode 4 feet thick-payable, all through sinking, there may be still better results as the ferening at 6 o'clock, one sees Singapore in its and he expresses the assurance that "no further bir only to be met in a Scotch kirk or on a fear need be felt as to the permanency" of the Boottish "sawbath" going its diurnal round dis-

#### THE RUSSO-CHINESE CON-VENTION.

Li and Charte there follow their titles and Enivers, Esq., of Singapore, prance past be booted

mercial expansion England could have years from date of signing this Convention. Black Sea at the Port of Kherson. The cost is afforded to look on complemently. But is there Provided that, at the conclusion of that period, estimated at 220,000,000 roubles (approximately in the world any Power sufficiently confiding it may be prolonged by mutual agreement

land horself were to change places with Russia may be feasions, acting nuder a chief who in Manchuria, the would consider it essential shull have general responsibility. Provided, to have a naval station in the immediate vicinity; however, that such officials must not bear the of her new scene of activity. It would, there- title of governor-general cr. visiting inspector. fore, have been an outrage had England out. The troops of the Middle Kingdom shall ployed force to prevent the acquisition of Port not be permitted to encamp within the limits Arthur by Russia. She was justified in endeav. of the leased land, but civilian subjects of oneing to dissuade Russia from taking that the Middle Kingdom shall be entitled to riep, and we know that she did andeavour to reside there provided that they do not behave dissuade her, promising, by way of reassurance, lawlessly. In the event of a breach of the law obtaining a noval port near the Guit of Pochili, to the nearest Chinese local tribunal for judgthe British Government would pulsue a similar ment and the infliction of a penalty. All details

proximity to your new sphere of nommercial the leased had an uninhabited space shall be expansion in Manchuria." Russis would not be left, its limits to be hereafter determined by content, however, and, speaking friendly, her the Chinese Representative in St. Petersburg decision seems quite natural. It forced Eng. and the Russian Government in consultation. ments, and a share one. A number of land's hand, however. Nothing remained but All affairs within this space shall be under the documents (produced) is found in Grosse's to occupy Wei-hal-wei and thus to provide control of Chinese officials, but Chinese troops to occupy Wei-hal-wei and thus to provide control of Chinese officials, but Chinese troops against a danger which, whatever may be Rus- may not enter there except after consultation

than Hongkong, enermous damage might be one part shall serve as a naval station for the British conisor would reach the scene of shall be a commercial port open for the ingress force. a and egress of the ships of all nations.

Art. VII.--in view of the importance of the season's naval manouvres.

radores for basis commands the Formeson see coast. All details relating to the direction Mr. l'ike recalled, said that the asekets of notes | Channel. The province of Fuhkien forms the of the reads and their building shall be settled Western coast of the Channel, and Japan has by the Chinese Representative in St. Peters. now made that province the subject of an agree- burg in consultation with the Director of the ment between herself and China. It appears Trans-Asian Railway. Provided that the Rusextravagant to assume that France's consent sinn Government explicity ougages that there had to be sought by way of preliminary. Great | shall be no trespussing upon, or seizure of, Britain is the Power concerned-very vitally Chinese territory in connection with the above Art. IX.-This Convention shall become

I'be above appears to have been rendered But it is well that the publicists of this country from the Chinese into Japanese, so that our should not mistake her complaisance for in. interpretation is only a translation from a difference. They talk of obtaining a lease of translation, and cannot be relied on for accuracy. some important position in Fulkien, whence to One very important point, however, appears-Formesan insurgents. Were such a position Bay is to be converted into a naval station accessible to Chinese and Russian war-ships only. That is a new feature of an open port. Another interesting point is that there is to be a branch granted, but we desire to remaind the Japaness of the Liantung railway, leading from a point that if Great Britain amicably permits such mid-way, between Newchrang and the mouth doings on the part of this country, she certainly of the Yala to the sea. What sea is contemplated we cannot yet tell-whether the Gulf of Pachili or the Yollow Sea. 'If the former Newchwang will probably be the objective point. If the latter, the line will probably traverse Southern Shingking and emerge at Takushan, which is about 25 miles west of the mouth of the Yalu-Japan Mail.

### MR. LILLIE ON SINGAPORE.

In a series of articles entitled " En Voyage," THE HOTELS.

As a first-halting place from the various parts A debate took place in the House of Commons of its more barbarous neighbours, Singapore is rich warships into European waters, owing to interesting, refreshing and mildly exciting even the difficulty Spain will have in coaling else-Sir William Harcourt severely criticised to the unemotional steamship passenger. Its where. the policy of the Government in re- general aspect is picturesque, and at first sight cognising Shantung as within the Ger engenders a mild sense of onthusiasm in the man sphere and influence, as a violation of the wanderer as he enters the harbour which, Treaty of Tientsin. He also condemned the however, very quickly evaporates when the parts of the Cabin coast, for the purpose of withdrawal to our warships from Port Arthur, enthusiast has spent a few days on its humid Tolding the Cubai rebels. Mr. Balfour, in reply to the attack, denied shores and within the portiones of its de-

Here again the steamship passenger i ployment. comes in as the saviour and victim, and contributes toswell the revenues of the port and its people by his excessive contributions whenever he takes his gharry or 'rickishaw aboard and which rides are necessarily fur and great.

"WE ARK IN DEBT." Every one that is my one at all drives or rides an Australian "Whaler" in Singapore and is in dobt. Horse-racing and tonnis are, as far as I could observe, the beginning, middle and ond of existence in Singapore, judging from the conversations at private dinner tables. Of course, there is other business besides horseeress-outs ordered to be made at a depth of the racing tonnis and delts at Singapore, but one feet in the main shuft. It may be explained is apt to overlook these in the absorbing inter-

21st May, but—since the information available; their grambols to the Esplanade, a small oval. seems to be so important—it is thought butter | shaped drive where Singapore's youth, beauty, to communicate it at once. The following are twealth and chivalry—the beauty including the demimonde and the wealth and chivalry being represented by the local garrison, volunteers Struck lode, at 110 feet, one foot thick met and Straits Babas-foll around in monotonous introles somewhat like a children's "merry go-"Yound." The green is filled with tennis players who seem desperately serious as if fame and fortune depended on every point; the people in the carringes are serious as if engaged in some solemn function—a funeral or a wolding; the conlookers, who religiously crowd to see the uni-The sinking of the shaft to a greater depth que social circus are equally serious and all seem daily impressed with the general solomnity of The lode manager expects that, with deeper tilles sacred social function of Singapore. Every ode has been getting thicker all the way down. beat bib and tucker and with an air of respectabi. playing its wealth and other charms as if saying to the world at large and particularly to the numble steamship passenger " Regarden donc. is the this life the very name of happiness-the

Ment of existence?" The Russo-Chinese Convention with regard THE STEAMSHIL PASSENGERS VIEW. to Liactung and correlated matters, was signed to the Banks with their practing pairs in Poking on the 27th of March; and a say of the come somehow feels a momentary whiff of it has been forwarded to the Jaji Shimpo by the trisponsibility as these great potentiates of the latter's special correspondent in that city. It was also by—us John Thomas Jones, Esq., latter's special correspondent in that city. It was also by—us John Thomas Jones, Esq., latter's special correspondent in that city. It was also been cut and Cuffs & Co., or James can as tollows: teer passes in uniform with that gait which suggests to the uprejudiced stranger the "stingulawaits thee nuble, or the coquette flits by with roguish glance at the Hotel verandah, and the Chinamau rolls slong in his gorgeous equipage-all diffusing an atmosphere of sombre respectability—the personification of England's might, good-breeding, bounty and commercial importance; the emblem of Great Britain's greatness over sea, the humble steamship passenger finds himself pondering on the scene before him and pensively marmuring "Li

#### THE AUSTRALIAN MAFL.

is good to be here."

The following telegrams are from Australian papers received by the E. and A. steamer

A GREAT CANAL FROM THE BALTIC TO THE BLACK SEA.

London, 17th April. Reports from Vienna state that the Russian Government has decided to proceed with the construction of a water-way from the Baltic to the Black Son. The canal will start from the Act. III The period of the lease shall be 25 | Gulf of Riga, on the Baltie, and will join the THE SOUDAN. \*

> Sir H. Kitchener, the Commander-in-Chief of the British and Egyptian forces in the THE CHINESE LOAN. London, 18th April.

> It-is officially amounced that Japan will take £2,000,000 of the Chinese loan o £16.000.000. BEET SUGAR VIELD. London, 18th April Herr F. O. Licht, the Madgeburg best sugar

month shows a decrease of \$1,000 lans. He astimates that the campaign will slow a decrease of 125,000 tons. RAIDS BY PERSIAN TRIBES ON RUSSIAN TERRITORY.

expert, reports that the production for the past

London, 18th April. Twelve thousand Persian Younds have made rald upon Russian territory. Reinforcements of Russian troops are being sept from Askabad, in Turkestan.

GERMANY AND SAMOA. London, 18th April. Some German newspapers imply that America's and Britain's hands are so full just now that it would be a good time to ensure the exclusive sovereignty of Germany in Samou. THE FRANCO-RUSSIAN ALLIANCE.

London, 18th April. Speaking at Remiremont, in the department of Yesges, M. Meline, the French Premier, said that the alliance with Russia had opened up an infinite horizon, and had given the foreign policy of France incomparable security and

THE DUKE OF YORK AND THE BRITISH NAVAL MANCEUVRES. Loudon, 18th April. H.R.H. the Duke of York has been appointed

POLITICS IN ITALY.

London, 18th April Signor Crispi, the ex-Premier of Italy, who recently resigned his seat for Palermo in the Chamber of Deputies, has been re-elected for that constituency. ILLNESS OF MR. CURION.

London, 18th April. Mr. G. N. Curzen, Parliamentary Secretary to the Foreign Office, is ill, in consequence of DEATH OF VISCOUNT OXENBRIDGE. London, 18th April.

The death is announced of Viscount Oxenbridge, in his 69th year. THE DEMAND FOR COAL. London, 17th April

In consequence of the miners' strike the ironworks in Scotlandare short of coal. THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR. London 18th April. Four hundred residents of the Spanish colony

at Tampa. Florida have sailed for Havana. News from Havina states that Government delegates have left that place to hold a conforence with the representatives of the in-The Cuban Colonial Cabinet has offered to

give Queen Christina its unconditional belo. and has stated that the Loyalists of Cuba are prepared to make the greatest sacrifices in order to maintain her sovereignty with the autonomy of the island. Adelaide, 18th April. An influential German paper, referring to

these latest developments, declares that the Great Powers will firstly do all they can to preserre peace, but is the event of war breaking out they will then demand a voice in the Government of Cuba. The Spaniards lave declared their intention

resist American demands to the very last and predict a three years' struggle between the In America, on the other hand, it is anticipated that the struggle will be a comparatively

short one. The Press of the United States is jubilant over the British exhibiting such a show of friendship towards her. The Spaniards are attempting to lure Ame-

It is reported that a number of irregular American troops have landed at undefended The Spanish Premier, speaking to the Cortes,

The French Press unanimously praises the

adhere strictly to the neutrality regulations of New York and other American ports are It is difficult to understand how the thousands being thoroughly fortified against an expected

mutual decision of the belligerent nations to

of vehicles employed in Singapore can find em- attack.

America has more volunteers for service than are required at present The British sympathy which is expressed with the States is causing much uneasiness in Europe, where a possible Angle-American Alliance is

SHILLIAN REPORTS.

The British steamer Drestes, from Liverpoo and Singapore 7th May, had moderate breeze to Macelosfold Banks (ovoreast sky); from Macelesfield to port heavy rains.

The British steamor dava, from London 2nd April, and Singapore 7th May, and variable winds and showery weather to the latitude of the Paracel Islands; from thence fresh to strong winds with heavy rain, and high confused awoll

· The British steamer Maileong, from Tamsni 10th May, Amoy 11th, and Swatow 12th, had light N.W. wind and line weather to Amov: moderate N.E. wind and fine weather from Amov to Swatow; moderate N.E. wind and rainy weather from Swatow to port. In Amoy-Str.

The British steamer Wiflie, from Sydney 19th April, Brishane 22nd, Townsville 25th, Thursday Island 28th, and Port Darwin 2nd May, experienced light N.W. winds and fine weather 1002 to Brisbane. Moderate S.E. winds, cloudy wear ther with passing showers of rain and smooth; sea to Townsville. Fresh S.E. winds and fine: clear weather to Thursday Island. After which moderate S. E. and S.S.A. winds and flue clear? weather to Port Darwin. Light variable winds ! and time weather until crossing the Equator, from there fresh to moderate W.S: W. and S.W. winds and cloudy weather with frequent showers of rain to Cabra Island. Thence to arrival moderate S.W. winds and time but cloudy wearthor with moderate seq.

EXPORT CARGOES Per P. & O. steamer Menila, sailed on the 5th May For Manchester : -2 10 bules, waste silk. For London : - alia bales herm and I easa eigurs from Mania, 120 boxes for from Foochow, 100 bales waste silk, 141 bales canos. 1,125 packages erackers, 55 packages rattan chairs, 50 casks preserves, 2 cases feathers, 52 cases blackwoodware, I cases curios, 12 cases effects, 2) cases essential oil. 16 cases sundries. I case bristles, and 1.440 boxes ton (29.610 lbs.) For London and/or Manchester -150 bales waste silk. For London and/or Diverpool :-400 packages tea. For Gibraltan:-- l cases curios. For Malta : 24 barrels wine. Per steamer Soluzie, sailed on the 7th May For Franco :- 280 balles raw silk, 2 cases silk. 1.465 packages (ea. 1) packages frain 400 cases cassia, 265 packages malting. For London:-

BULL TERRIER DOG - White with Pictures of Southern Chine by Mac-Black Snot on neck answers to the name of "SPORT." Anyone bringing the same to the Undersigned will be suitably REWARDED. C. P. CHATER Houglong, 13th May, 1898.

WANTED, immediately. PROBA TIONER NURSES at the Govern MENT CIVIL HOSPITAL, Hongkong, age from 18 to 25 years. A knowledge of English is essential. Further profeculars as to agreements, salaries, &c., can be obtained of the Hongkong, 22nd April, 1898.

WANTED.

EUROPEAN NURSE to accompany a Family returning to Europe. One child aged three yours. Apply by letter to

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Hongkong, 21st April, 1898. THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO. LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that under the powers conferred by the SPECIAL RESCLUTION passed and confirmed on the 5th and 25th days of June, 1897, the Under-signed General Managers did on the 30th day of April, 1898, make a CALL of \$2.50 per Share on abcount of the price of the new Shares; issued in pursuance of such resolution, and a CALL of \$2.50 on account of the premium for each such Share and that such CALLS are PAYABLE at the OFFICE of the General Managers. No. 9, PRAYA CENTRAL, Victoria, Hougkong, on or before the 31st May, 1808. Upon payment of such cells and production of the certificates for the Shares, in respect of which the same are paid, a note of the payment

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The issue of these Debentures has been enlargement of the Hotel building, it having been deemed advisable, in view of the accommodation at first proposed being insufficient storey and to sequire additional land, thus largely increasing the carming capacity of the

The Debentures of the whole issue will first charge on the undertaking and on all the properly of the Company for the time being as a floating security, but so that the Company will not be at liberty to create any mortgage or charge in priority to such deportures. The debontures will rank among thomselves pari passu. Neither the Directors nor any members of the Company will be individually liable. for the payment of any of the monics payable under the debentures, and as between the holders of the debentures and the members the Company, the Company shall be deemed be a Company limited by shares, of which all the shares have been fully paid up. When the undertaking is completed the

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and of materials, the building could not now be erected for the same cost. (3) Furniture, etc., most of which is bough and paid for, to the value of over year 64,000. Most of the furniture has been imported, and will be whanced in value by the imposition of the new import tariff in Japan. Thus the value of the saleable assets of the Company will aggregate nearly yen 300,000, without considering the above mentioned ap-

to the recent greatrise in the price of labour

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A deposit of 10 per cont. of the aggregate amount of the dependeres tendered for must accompany the application. For this deposit an interim receipt will be given. When to allotment is much, the deposit will be returned

The halance is to be paid to the Company's bankers within seven days of receipt of notice of allotment. In case a less number of debentares is allefted than is applied for, the excess of the deposit will be applied in or towards payment of the balance due upon such number as may be allotted. Palare to pay such balance when due will ronder the allegment Hable to cancellation and

the deposit to toriciture. Applications will be received in Nagasaki up The form of debentures' can be seen at the offices of the General Managers, or at the offices of the Hongkong and Slanghai Barrking

Corporation. By Order of the Directors. HOLME, RINGER & CO., General Managers. Nagasaki, 4th May, 1898

PERSEVERANCE OF HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

REGULAR MEETING of the PER. at the FREEDASONS HALL on MONDAY. the 16th inst., at 8,30 for 9 r.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren airs cordially invited to attend.

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Kanogafuchi Cotton Spinning Mill. Tokyo Cotton Spinning Mill, Japan. Hayashi Clock Factory. Hongkong 4th August, 1897,

VESSELS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The P. M. stemper Astee, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 15th ultimo, arrived it Yokohammion the 9th instant. The P. M. steamer City of Rin de Janeiro with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasthi and Shanghai on the 39th ultimo. The O. & O. Co.'s chartered steamer Venus.

with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yekohama and Kobe, on the 6th instant. PRES CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. steamer Empress of China left. Vancouver, B.C., for Hourke against usual pearls of call on Tuesday, the 10th instant. THE AUSTRALIAN SIME The C. N. Co.'s: steamer Tsimm, left Port Darwin, on the 10th instant, and may be ex-

pacted to arrive how on the 19th instant; ". "MERCHANT STEAMERS. The N. P. steamer Braemar sailed from Port. and Or., on the 3rd instant, for Japan and Hougkoug. The N. P. steamer Olympia has arrived at Xokolama from Taroma, and sails for both The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Marques Have quelient left Singapore for this port on the

The Matual stomer Kaisow, from Glas gow and Liverpeol, left Singapore for this part on the 8th instant, had may be expected here on or about the 14h instant The N. Y. K. steamer Makseyama Mer : Bombay Line) left Kobe via Meji for this por on the 7th instant, and is expected to arris here on the 15th instant. The L. S. Co.'s stonmer Egremont Castle, from Hamburg, Middlesborough, and Antwerp, left Singapore on the 10th instant, and may be

The Mutual steamer Mayune, from Glasgow and Livermool passed the Canal on the 6th instant, and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 24th instant.

PASSED THE CANAGE Ourwand-19th April-Broconditive. Agricultur non, Arizona, Cupras. 22nd April - Oak Branch. 26th April - Vindiliano, Labury 20th Air. - Ceylon, Pricm, and May - Della Fortung, Webleich, 6th May-Rector Moyune, Teenkal, Sikh. 10th May-Rad norstare, Sachsen, Etm Bronch, Senta. Homew And .- 10th May - Cleres,

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PEAK DELIVERY closes at Pest Office at 11.30 a.m. and 3 ptm, or in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 330 o'clock Trams. Letter Hougkong be ...... Boxesat Feak will be cleared at 12:30 and 4 p.m. H. & K. Wasti & Co. ..

connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Fixtra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below. The Postal Guide for 1893, revised to date will be found in the Chroniels and Directory, P. XXI. This is the only authorised completed Summary of Postal information published in

Hongkong

A WALL WHITE CLOSE. Par Saigon, Per Affela, today, the 14th Tostant, et 10,00 A.M. For Shanghai, Yokohama and Hiogo. - Per-Armenia, to-day, the Lith inst., at 230 P.ar. For Kuchinotzu-Per Ariake Maru, to morrow, the 15th instant, at 9,00 A.M. For Singapore, Panang and Bombay .- Per Bormida, on Monday, the 16th instant, al 11.30 A.M. For Singapore.-Per Anterer, on Monday, the 16th instant, at 2:30 P.M. For Nagasaki. Kobe and Yokohama,-Per

For Singapore, Ponang and Calentia .- Per Suisang, on Proslay, the 17th instant, ul 10:00 A.M. For Port Darwin, Tangsday Island, Cook town, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourns .- Per Chingles, on Friday, the 20th instant, at 2.00 r.st. For Moji, Koha, Yokohama, Victoria and Tucoma. - Por Olympia, on Salarday, the 21st instant, at 11.30 A.M For Shangkai, Moji, Kobo, Yokohama and

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Coremandel, will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 14th instant with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Erindini; to the Matwa Did ..... Straits Settlements, Notherlands India, Barnak, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and telbealtar. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Carrent and Cir. Do. Pher Mapper Soft to \$670. culturs ceases.

Portland, Qr. -- Por Bratemar, on Saturday, the

4th June, at 11.30 A.M.

10.00 A.M.—Registry cosses. 10.30 A.M. - Posting of newspapers, brooks, and patterns ceases. " 11.00 A.M. Mail Closes LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.) A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11:30 A.M.

after which hour they may be sent on boand with the same late fee. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACKET. The Canadian Mail Packet Empress of Japan will be despatchedon WEDNESDAY, the 18th

inet, with Mails for Shanghai, Nagosoki, Kole

Yokohama, Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., which will be closed as follows :-10.00 A.M. Registry ceases: 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence | Karnshana ... may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until Shard Peak .... M.St the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES The United States Mail Packet Pern will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 19th Gap Rock ... 29.68 instant, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan and Mains ..... San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Haiphong Pern, &c., which will be closed as follows :- Cape S. James 10.60 A.M. Registry censes. 11.00 A.St. Post Office closes, but Correspondence

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MAILS BY THE GERNAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Preusen, will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 25th instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom CANVAS Europe and countries beyond, vid Naples, to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Barmah, Ceylou, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c. Registry ceases at 7.30 A.M. The mail closes at 8.00 A.M. Late letters 8.00 A.M. with 10 cents extra postage.

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